

In the Claims

Please cancel all pending claims 1-5 and substitute therefor the following new claims 1-8.

Claims

What is claimed is:

1. A corner cutter comprising:

a cutter body including upper and lower handles having a pivot securing said handles together, said lower handle having an upper blade end extending beyond said pivot and having a first blade edge secured thereto,

said upper handle having a lower blade end extending beyond said pivot and opposing said upper blade end, said upper blade end having a second blade edge secured thereto,

said handles and blade ends being pivotable about said pivot to provide a scissor-like action,

said first and second blade edges being disposed in mutually opposing positions for cutting sheets of brittle material positioned between said blade edges.

2. The device of claim 1 wherein said opposing blade edges are curved with the outer side edges having a closer spacing between opposing edges than the inner edges.

3. The device of claim 2 wherein the outer peripheral ends of said opposing blade ends are curved for cutting curves into said sheets of brittle material between said edges.
4. The device of claim 3 including a return spring connected between said upper and lower handles.
5. The device of claim 4 including stop means connected between opposite ends of said upper and lower handles for maintaining said handles in a normally open position.
6. The device of claim 3 wherein the opposing blade edges are perpendicular to the surfaces of sheets of brittle material therebetween.
7. The device of claim 6 wherein one of the opposing blade edges has an angled inner surface providing a sharp edge for cutting said brittle material.
8. The device of claim 6 including a guide secured to said lower blade end for positioning said lower blade end on a sheet of brittle material for simplifying the cutting of said sheet.